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SUBJECT: AN UNOFFICIAL IRANIAN COMMENT ON IRAN-IRAQ
AGREEMENT

1. HAD ALGIERS AGREEMENT NOT BEEN CONCLUDED WHEN IT WAS, IRANIAN AUTHORITIES HAD REACHED CONCLUSION THAT KURDS WOULD HAVE BEEN FIGHTING IRAQIS RIGHT UP AGAINST IRANIAN BORDER WITHIN TWO MORE WEEKS, THUS RISKING DIRECT IRANIAN INVOLVEMENT, ACCORDING TO DR. ABBAS AMIRIE, VISITING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL, POLITICAL, AND ECONOMIC STUDIES IN TEHRAN.

2. DR. AMIRIE ALSO TOLD SPECIALLY INVITED LUNCHEON GROUP AT INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR STRATEGIC STUDIES HERE ON LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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APRIL 24 THAT IRAN-IRAQ AGREEMENT CLEARLY INDICATED TACIT

COMMITMENT ON IRAQ'S PART TO CEASE ENCOURAGING SUBVERSIVE
ELEMENTS IN THE GULF. HE WAS UNABLE TO PRESENT MORE
SPECIFIC EVIDENCE FOR THIS ASSERTION, HOWEVER, WHEN
PRESSED BY FCO OFFICIALS AND OTHERS PRESENT.

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